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Dear Sirs,

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2004, please find the relevant paper in response to paper No. 09042004. Following the fax transmission, a hard copy via courier will also be forwarded to the Office.

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Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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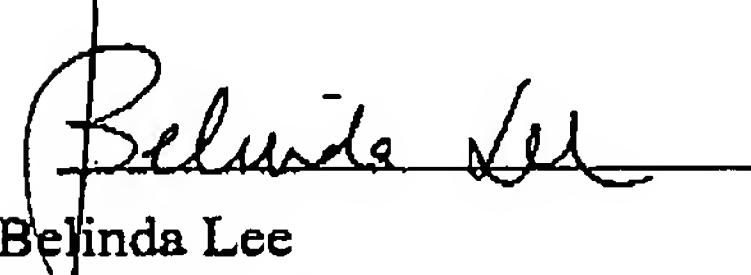
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**Dear Sir:**

The Office Action mailed August 10, 2004 (Paper No. 09042004) has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.